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The English language references are listed on attached Form PTO-1449 and require no further commentary under 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(3).

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A copy of each reference, together with a listing on Form PTO-1449, is submitted herewith. Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the cited references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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